

## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

*Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.*

*Current.*

|                                        |     |       |       |                                                            |
|----------------------------------------|-----|-------|-------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Prices of food grains—Rice             | ... | 7.47  | 6.41  | Quantity per rupee by<br>the standard seer of<br>80 tolas. |
| Ragi                                   | ... | 12.99 | 14.44 |                                                            |
| Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available. |     |       |       |                                                            |

*Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in ragi and paddy fields.

*State of standing crops.*—Fair.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations in wet lands are being carried on in parts of the Anekal and Devanahalli Taluks as also ploughing operations in parts of the Devanahalli Taluk.  
*State of standing crops.*—Ragi, avare, togari, paddy, sugar cane, hutchellu and other minor crops are reported to be in good condition.  
*Estimated outturn of the harvests.*—Potatoes and kakijola in parts of the Devanahalli Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. But for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Anekal and Bangalore Taluks and Closepet town, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing, weeding and harvesting operations are being carried on in almost all the taluks.  
*Crops sown.*—Horse gram in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.  
*Crops harvested and their probable outturn.*—Samé in the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; gidra ragi in the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas; baragu and jola in the Sidlaghatta Taluk, yield 12 and 16 annas respectively.  
*Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. There have been a few cases of plague in parts of the Kolar and Bowringpet Taluks and cholera in some villages of the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks. Otherwise public health has been generally good.
12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Horse gram in parts of the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of the Sira Taluk; and coriander and gingelly in parts of the Tumkur Taluk.

*Crops harvested*.—Nat ragi in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; cholum in parts of the Tumkur and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, yield 8 annas; baragu in parts of the Tumkur and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, yield 8 annas; navane in parts of the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; til in parts of the Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas; paddy in parts of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas; groundnuts in parts of the Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks, yield 8 annas and sugar cane in parts of the Gubbi Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

*Condition of standing crops*.—Ragi, avare, togari, cholum, castor, paddy, sugar cane, groundnuts, haraka, navane, savē, sajjē, horse gram, til, gingelly, green gram and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are satisfactory. Food stuffs are available. Rainfall during the week was sufficient. It is reported that some of the tanks in the district are overflowing through their kodis.

11. Except for plague to a slight extent in Chikkatollakere village in the Tumkur Taluk and Kadagathur in the Maddagiri Taluk and cholera in Kamarajanahalli, Hulikunte and Mugondanahalli in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk and Hosa-Itakaloti in the Maddagiri Taluk, public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except in one village in the Maddagiri Taluk, where cattle are suffering from "Kare roga." Water and fodder are available.

## MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Horse gram in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk; Bengal gram in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk; green and black grams in parts of the Hunsur Taluk; coriander in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Hunsur Taluks; and paddy in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

*The state of standing crops* is reported to be good.

*Crops harvested*.—Cholum in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in some villages of the Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote Nanjangud, T. Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Paddy, dod ragi, sugar cane, kulthi, avare and togari in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi and transplanted paddy and ragi in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane paddy, avare, togari, castor, chillies and kulthi in the Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks; dod ragi, sugar cane paddy, and kulthi in the Belur Taluk; ragi, avare, castor, groundnut, paddy and sugar cane, in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, togari, til, castor, avare, ragi and paddy in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and paddy, sugar cane, togari and kulthi in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested*.—Gid ragi is being harvested in parts of the Hassan and Arsikere Taluks.

*Crops sown*.—Avare in the Belur Taluk and kulthi in the Arsikere Taluk are being sown. It is reported that owing to excessive rain, the standing crops in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks have been affected to some extent in their growth. It is also reported that, in parts of the Arsikere Taluk, the castor crop is being attacked by a pest called "Condlihula."

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except in two villages of the Yeslur hobli, Manjarabad Taluk, where "Matrikattu" is prevailing. Water and fodder are available.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Paddy and sugar cane throughout the district; ragi and horse gram in parts of the Shimoga Taluk and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; and jola in parts of the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition. "Koleroga" is reported to be subsiding in parts of the Sagar Taluk.

*Crops sown*.—Horse gram and jola are being sown in parts of the Honnali Taluk.

*Crops harvested*.—Areca nut crop in parts of the Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; ragi in parts of the Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks; and til in parts of the Honnali Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and cholera in Mudakoppa village of the Nagar Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for murrain in Kanle village of the Sagar Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Weeding operation in wet lands is being carried on in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

*Crops sown*.—Coriander in parts of the Birur Hobli of the Kadur Taluk.

*Condition of standing crops*.—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, avare, togari, kulthi, castor, chillies, coffee, areca, cardamom, jola, Bengal gram, black gram, green gram, fenugreek, savè, navane, cotton, gingelly, and tadagani are reported to be in good condition; but it is stated that, in Sivane village of the Tarikere Taluk, cotton is infected with insects.

*Crops harvested*.—Gingelly, areca and cardamom in Chikmagalur, yield 8 to 12 annas; gingelly, baragu and jola in Kadur, yield 12 annas; jola, coriander and areca in the Tarikere Taluk, yield 8 to 10 annas; cardamom in Mudgere and areca in Sringeri.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in the town of Chikmagalur and also in a few villages of the Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. "Metre troga" prevails in a few villages of the Balur hobli and and "Foot and Mouth" disease in certain villages of the Banakal Hobli, Mudgere Taluk. Otherwise cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Ragi, paddy, navane, samé, sajje, castor, horse gram, cotton, sesamum, togari, avare, jola and chillies are reported to be in good condition. The navane crop in the Challakere Taluk is reported to have been affected by "kondli roga".

*Seeds sown*.—Horse gram in the Challakere Taluk.

*Crops harvested*.—Jola in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hosadurga Taluks, yield 8 annas; sesamum, ragi and sajje in the Challakere Taluk, yield 8 annas; and sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Except for sporadic cases of cholera in some villages in the Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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